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This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war

## EDITORIAL MUSINGS.

### The Seed Corn Farmers.

The farmers who are selling seed corn this year are not in a position to say that they are not making a good profit. Seed corn at as high as \$10 a bushel is a gold mine for those whose crops matured in such shape that they had plenty of good seed corn to sell. Seed corn should be first class in yield. Let us suppose a yield of 100 bushels to the acre from which 50 bushels would be worthy of use as seed. That, at \$10 would be \$500 an acre, and the remainder sold for feeding purposes would be \$75. A total of \$575 an acre for corn would be \$5,750 on ten acres. A man can raise 40 acres of corn, single handed, it is estimated, and give it good attention. The man who raised 40 acres of seed corn in 1917—if one did so—and produced a good salable article made a fortune at the tail of the plow between May and corn gathering time.

### Typically German.

The Federal Food Board's warning to American housekeepers to look out for jagged bits of glass in bread and rolls throws a sidelight upon Germany's unique methods of warfare.

There is no American, we feel sure, who would for a moment countenance a plan of spreading poison in the food of German civilians and killing German babies and women, but it is not at all surprising that the Germans have agents in the United States whose work includes an effort to poison Americans without regard to age or sex.

The Germans damn themselves more the further they go. Their principal plan of warfare is to commit atrocities entirely beyond the plan of civilized convention in war, and not within the experience of savage tribes.

The latest effort will be defeated early, although some deaths may occur as a result of it, and it will only add to the civilized world's disgust of all things German.

### The Price of Ice.

The advance in the price of beer is a matter about which the American people can afford to crack jokes. Beer is not a necessity. The advance in the price of ice is by no means a matter for joking. It is a forerunner of hardships this summer and until the end of the war.

Last winter was not, as many persons suppose, an ideal ice harvest winter in Kentucky. There was plenty of cold weather, but during most of it the snow was so deep that a team would not draw a load of ice on a wagon from the pond to the ice house. In some instances ice was stored with aldis, but in some the ice houses were not filled and the rural population will to an extent share with city residents the hardships of what promises to be virtually an ice famine, because of lack of ammonia, and what surely will be a summer of exceptional ice prices.

### Patriotism and Potatoes

The average business man—past thirty-five, somewhat overfed, soft-muscled, in some cases blood pressure a bit high, pulling in when he catches a full-length glimpse of himself in the mirror—admits to himself that in the ranks he would be a burden rather than a help. He is no less

a patriot, and wants to do something to shorten the war and make it more tolerable while it lasts. He does not have to go far to find at least one channel for the expression of his sentiments. He can combine with every able-bodied man, woman and child to produce more food. We have the land—the shortage is in the ability, and too often, the inclination, to work it.

### What It Means Now.

In the good old days, when everything was cheap, it meant nothing to hand out an "extra copy" of THE NEWS to a subscriber, or to anyone else who happened to come along and ask for one to "send away," etc. But, alas, how the times have changed, now! Likewise the price of print paper, in fact, almost everything connected with the making of a news paper. Many times THE NEWS has given out "extra copies" to subscribers who claimed they had not received their paper, even after it had been ascertained that the paper had been put in the postoffice or delivered at the subscriber's residence. We hate to refuse these "little favors," but a stop must come some time, and we are now taking steps to weed out the most persistent callers, and conserve our stock of print paper, as well as to have enough papers on hand for needed purposes. We trust our friends will appreciate our position, and not put an unnecessary hardship upon us.

### Juvenile Stupidity.

The sun is losing its heat in Paris and does not shine nowadays (on feeble old men) as it used to. Any of them will tell you so. The spring sunshine isn't as bright and mellow as it used to be (to these feeble old men) and the sky is not half so blue now as it was thirty years ago. The bird songs are dull and monotonous (to these old grouches), the flowers are not half so fragrant (to these old grumblers) and the air is not near so bracing and full of tang as it was forty years ago (according to these patriarchs.) But it's strange that the youth of Paris do not seem to realize what they are missing, and no amount of grumbling and growling and growching by these old has-beens can ever persuade them that this isn't a good old earth, and that the fishing will soon be fine, and that the water at the old mill dam will soon be warm enough for bathing. Go to —, you Mathuselahs. Weren't you boys—once, oh, such a long time ago, though?

### A Fine Investment.

In asking the people to invest in War Savings and Thrift Stamps, the Government is not asking them to contribute money. It is merely asking for the use of the money and is willing to pay liberally for it. The Government simply wishes to employ your money and pay you for its service, just as it would employ and pay you for your services.

You will get your money back with interest—compounded interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum. The stamps mature in five years, but you can cash them at any time you wish before the date of maturity, and get interest at three per cent.

If you need the service of your money before five years, the Savings Stamps handed to the Postmaster will be the letter of resignation and you will get your money back, with additional payment for the time you have permitted them to use it. There is no red tape, no bother, no uncertainty, no work. It is the simplest, the safest and the most satisfactory investment you can make.

### Clean Up and Keep Clean.

This paper will have much to say this spring about the above subject. There is no reason why we should not have the cleanest town in the State, even if we cannot boast of the largest. Every man, woman and child in our town ought to respond to the appeals that are being made to make the town neat and attractive and clean and sanitary. It is only a small matter for each family to clean up its own premises, but with every family in town doing this the whole town will not only present an attractive appearance, but will be more healthful as well. Let everyone join in this war against dirt, disease, rubbish, ugliness and indifference to the public good, and when the town is in the condition it should be, let everyone help to keep it so. The town is in urgent need of cleansing and purifying after the long winter and the dampness of early spring, and all effort to this end will bring reward a hundred fold.

### Make Home Attractive.

If you want to keep your children away from sin you can only do so by making their home attractive. You can preach sermons, advocate reforms and denounce wickedness and yet your children will be captivated by the glittering saloons of sin, unless you make your home brighter than any other place on earth to them. Gather all the charms you possibly can into your house. If you can afford it, bring books and pictures and cheerful entertainments to the household. But above all, teach those children not by half an hour, twice a year on the Sabbath day, but day after day teach them that religion is a great gladness, that it throws chains of gold about the neck, that it takes no spring from the foot, no blitheness from the heart, no sparkle from the eye, no ring from the

laughter, but that "her ways are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace."

### Show a Public Spirit.

Let the business men of Paris be public-spirited, liberal, ready to enter into any scheme that gives fair promise of being for the interest of Paris, and we will then be well up with the progressive spirit of the age. But if our business men are careless and indifferent, willing to take only what comes, and not ready to reach out after more customers, then the city stands in the way of its own interests, and outsiders will size it up and keep clear of it.

### He Got The Pin.

A man who believes in the old saying, "See a pin and pick it up, and all that day you'll have good luck," saw a pin in front of the postoffice the other day. Bending down to get it, his hat tumbled off and rolled into the gutter, his eyeglasses fell and broke on the pavement, his suspenders gave way behind, he burst the buttonhole on the back of his shirt collar, and he all but lost his new front teeth. He got the pin.

The republic of Finland is having a big time, even as big times go these days.

### Make Home Happy.

Make your homes happy. You go around the house growling about your rheumatism and acting the lugubrious and your sons will go into the world and plunge into dissipation. They will have their own rheumatism after awhile. Do not forestall their misfortunes. You were young once, and you had your bright and joyous times. Now let the young folks have a good time.

## THE APRIL AMERICAN MAGAZINE.

The April American Magazine leads off with a great fiction story by John Taintor Foote called "Otto." "Why I Cut Loose From Chicago" will be helpful to all small town people who think they would like to go to the big city and to those in the cities who look longingly at small towns. "Pictures Burned in My Memory" is the story of a Y. M. C. A. man who has just returned from the front. Christian Girl, who is often considered to be an institution or a race horse, tells the story of his great success; Irving Beachler writes of his experiences and views; and Nora Bayes has written the theatrical article for this number. Other good things in the issue are stories by Hugh Fullerton, Bertha Rich, Holworthy Hall, and Bruce Barton. The Family Money, Interesting People's department, and contest announcement and results hold much interest and entertainment for readers.

If I only had the money! Money, money, how hateful you are,—but oh, how I need to have you!—Elizabeth Hasanovitz, in the Atlantic.

Von Herting wants to divide the Latin countries from the Anglo-Saxons, says French dailies, but there is little chance.

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## Public Sale

—OF—  
Mules, Horses, Cattle,  
Farm Implements, &c.

At Maple Lawn Farm, four miles from Paris, on the Jackstown pike,  
**Tuesday, April 9, 1918**  
beginning at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Having sold my farm and am moving to town, I will sell the following at auction:

**Mules, Horses and Ponies**  
25 head of mules, including 13 two-year-old mules;  
Two yearling mules;  
6 or 7 aged work mules;  
25 head of work and driving horses;  
Six ponies;  
One six-year-old gray mare, half Percheron, broke and a good one;  
One six-year-old sorrel, half Percheron mare, will weight 1600 pounds, strictly good;  
One three-year-old gelding, half Percheron, good;  
One pair Percheron mares;  
One family horse, six years old, good saddle, gentle for lady;  
One six-year-old family horse;  
One five-year-old registered combined gelding, 16 hands high;  
Carrie Cantrill chestnut mare by Highland Denmark, in foal to Highland Choice, a beautiful mare, registered;  
One Bourbon Chief mare, in foal to Bourbon King, season paid;  
Balance good young horses, eight or ten of which I have registered from four to six years old;  
Arabia, seven-year-old registered Shetland mare pony, pet name, Beauty, gentle;  
Two yearling filly ponies, bred at Elmendorf;  
One spotted four-year-old pony, very gentle;  
Two or three unbroken ponies.

**Cattle**  
Eight fresh cows, some very choice in the lot;  
Five Aberdeen-Angus yearling bulls, ready for service;  
Ten head of good steer calves;  
Eight or ten Jersey heifers;  
A few yearling cattle.

**Hogs.**  
Thirty head of eighty-pound shoats;  
Twenty 110-pound shoats;  
Eight good sows and pigs, mostly Durocs;  
Two registered Elmendorf Berkshire boars;  
One Duroc boar;  
One sow due to pig soon;  
Also lot of good chickens.

**Farm Implements**  
One Superior drill, bought new last fall;  
One Thomas drill, good as new;  
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Deering mower, bought last season;  
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Breaking plows;  
Avery cultivators;  
Hay rake;  
Three good Stivers grass seed strip-pers;  
Four farm wagons;  
Two spring wagons;  
Brake wagon;  
Three dump carts;  
Dump wagon;  
Hog boxes;  
Grass seed drill;  
New Moyer buggy;  
Several other buggies;  
New pony trap, with pole and shafts;  
One Brewster carriage, other implements, &c.;  
Four sets of new stripper harness;  
Three sets double harness;  
Pony harness;  
Eight or ten sets of plow gear;  
Six sets of wagon harness;  
Wheel barrow;  
Many other things too numerous to mention.  
Sale rain or shine and will start promptly at 10 o'clock, a. m.  
Come early, as we have lots of stuff to sell.  
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## Position Wanted.

Position as manager or overseer of farm. Experienced. Best of reference. Apply at this office. (tf)

## Pool Room For Sale.

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## LOST.

On High street, between Eighth and Twelfth, a black leather music bag, containing sheet music. Reward if left at this office, or call Home phone 223. (5-2t)

## NOTICE.

All hogs and pigs must be removed from the city limits within five days from this notice. Those not complying with this order will be subject to a fine. Each day after April 8 constitutes a separate offense. A. H. KELLER, City Health Officer. By order of the Board of Health. Paris, Ky., April 3, 1918. (5apr-2t)

## I BELIEVE

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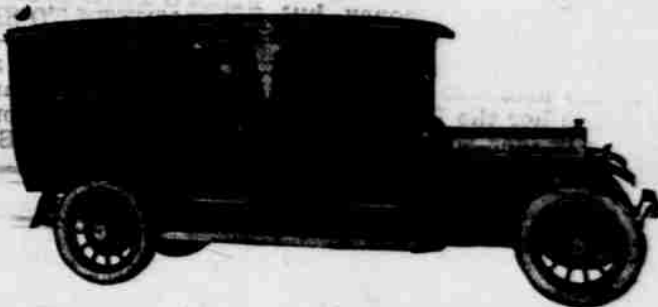
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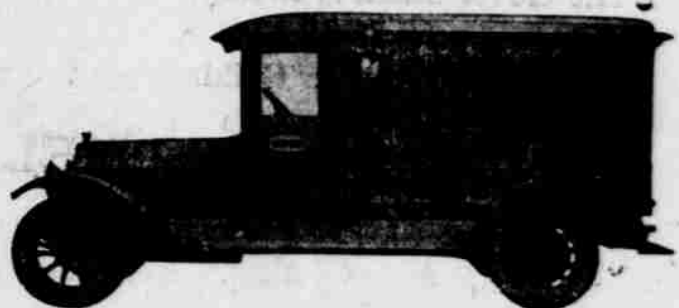
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